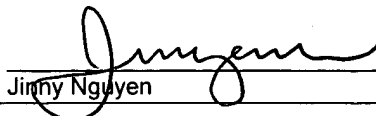


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RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 30, 2004, please amend the  
above-identified application in the following manner:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on  
page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page of 8 this paper.